

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Insert the following paragraph before "Field of the Invention" on page 1:

"CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

The present application is related to co-pending U.S. patent application serial no. _____ (serial number not available) in the name of Nissen et al. entitled, "Compressed Chewing Gum Tablet", which is the U.S. National Stage of application PCT/DK2002/000461 having an International Filing Date of July 2, 2002. The present application is further related to co-pending U.S. patent application serial no. _____ (serial number not available) in the name of Thorengaard et al. entitled, "Compressed Resin Moderated Chewing Gum", which is a U.S. National Stage application of application PCT/DK2003/000465 having an international filing date of July 2, 2003. These cited U.S. and PCT applications are related to the present application and are herein incorporated by reference in their entirety."

Replace the second complete paragraph on page 2 as follows:

~~"It is one object of the invention~~Thus, it is desired to provide a chewing gum compression chewing gum composition, which, when processed by means of compression provides a texture like conventionally mixed chewing gum."

Replace the subtitle on page 8 with the following rewritten version:

"Brief Description of the Figures".